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Hongkong, 30th July, 1894.

BIRTH.

On the 10th instant, at No. 9 Belilios Terrace,
the wife of GEO. P. LAMBERT, of a daughter.

DEATH.

On the 3rd instant, at the "Land We Live
In" Hotel, THOMAS SILVERMAN, aged 55 years.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 1894.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

A man named John Campbell, of North Shore,
near Sydney, has been arrested for murdering
his wife on Friday night last. The crime was
a horribly determined one, there being no less
than six knife stabs on the woman's body. Camp-
bell had recently suffered some serious pecuniary
losses, and it is alleged that the adversity which
followed drove him to madness. The Campbells
had a family of seven children, all young.After a fight at Ballarat on Thursday, one of
the combatants named Elliot died, and the other
pugilist named Grenfell, was arrested for man-
slaughter.LONDON, July 16th.
It is announced that a party of Berlin elec-
tricians have made an offer to lay a Pacific cable
to Sydney. The cost of the undertaking is set
down at two millions sterling, and a guarantee
will be given to complete the work in three
years.Further information concerning the American
labour troubles states that a body of Indiana
rioters succeeded in derailing a mail train which
was conveying a party of non-violentists. Two
of the free labourers were killed and many others
dangerously wounded.An attempt has been made by French
anarchists to blow up the new French ironclad,
the *Carnot*.Fresh interest has been roused in the case of
Balfour, the English building society aviator.
An application for Balfour's extradition was
made to an Argentine judge, who, however,
declined to grant the warrant.The British Cabinet is considering the offer
of the Dutch to arbitrate in the matter of the
Goita Rijn Pacht claim.At Chicago, on Monday, a powder wagon
exploded accidentally, killing four soldiers and
injuring many more.It is now reported from America that the strike
at the Pullman car factory has terminated by the
men returning to work. The rate of wages has
been reduced ten per cent. in consequence of the
damage done during the strike.In connection with the United States labour
troubles it is now called that the Alabama
miners and strikers combined forced on a
saginary engagement with the negro workers,
in which the latter were worsted. A party of
police interfered and ultimately fired on the
aggressors, killing six of the strikers.Russia is reported to be increasing her Exe-
cise fleet, and it is now called that Italy has given
orders for the construction of eleven ironclads
and numerous torpedo-boats.Three thousand anarchists have been arrested
in Italy.A society has been discovered in Italy, its
object being to provide funds for anarchists,
the money being demanded under threats of
assassination.The Pullman strike is ended, and operatives
have returned to work at the old wages.A conflict took place at Birmingham, Alabama,
U.S.A., between the police and a body of
unionists on strike, who had made an attack on
the negro "black-legs." Six unionists were shot
dead and twenty wounded.Eight persons were killed and 150 injured in
an explosion in the Grant powder mine in
Pennsylvania.The trial of a gang of thirteen men suspected
of having murdered 11st railway passengers
within the past eighteen months, has been com-
menced at Brussels.

SYDNEY, July 18th.

The New South Wales general elections,
which took place on the 17th inst., resulted in the
return of 58 Free-traders, 29 confirmed Protection-
ists, and 20 manual labourers, including Thomas
and Ferguson, who were prominent in the
Broken Hill riot last year.The voters were returned, and twenty members
elected for Sydney and suburbs were Free-
traders, including Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. G. R.
Reid, and Mr. McMillan.Sir George Dibbs has been returned by the
electors of Tamworth.

LONDON, July 16th.

The crusade against the anarchists is being
vigorously prosecuted by the Continental
Governments. It is stated that in Italy alone
over three thousand anarchists have been
arrested within the past few weeks.During the past eighteen months some sixty
passengers by railway in Belgium have
mysteriously disappeared, and inquiries leave
little doubt that they have fallen victims to a
regularly constituted scheme for murder and
robbery. Thirteen suspected members of the
murderous gang have been arrested, the majority
being railway employees.The young Khedive of Egypt, in direct
opposition to the advice of the Sultan, has sailed
for Venice, en route for England.Another yacht race at Belfast between the
Britannia and *Vigilant* has resulted in the
defeat of the former—through an accident.Immense damage has been occasioned in a
Pennsylvania mine by the explosion of a large
quantity of gun-powder. The workings were
wrecked, eight men killed, and 150 others
injured.

SYDNEY, July 23rd.

Lee and Cummins, sentenced to death for the
murder of the manager of the Barraba bank,
were hanged on Friday. Cummins nearly
succeeded in committing suicide early in the
morning by opening an artery in his arm with
the broken blade of a penknife. He had lost
so much blood when his condition was
discovered that he had to be carried to the
scaffold. Lee protested the last that Cummins
was innocent. Both men, according to the
police, have had records—Lee exceptionally so.
Cummins was a Shearers Union delegate.Mr. Gladstone contemplates undergoing a
second operation with a view to restoring his
sight.The final result of the elections in New South
Wales is as follows:—

Protectionists.....61

Labour.....42

ADLAIDE, July 23rd.

The cold in many parts is exceptionally severe
this winter. Heavy snow has fallen for seventeen
consecutive days in the Australian Alps.

July 25th.

Corporal Clark, of the South Australian Per-
manent Force, has broken the world's record for
walking, covering the mile in the course of a
match on other day, in five minutes forty-six
and one-fifth seconds. The previous fastest time
was 6m. 23s. by Cannon; the best Australian record
being 6m. 27s.

LONDON, 25th July.

The leading French paper, commenting upon the
Korean crisis, advises the Great Powers to unite
in bringing pressure to bear to prevent war; or
falling in the endeavour to check hostilities, that
the European fleets in Chinese waters combine in
an effort to afford efficient protection to the
foreigners residing at the various treaty ports in
China and Japan.Another plot for the murder of the Russian
Czar has been prematurely exploded, several
persons implicated being arrested.Over a thousand Italian anarchists have been
released from prison and placed on board vessels
sailing for different parts of America.The United States Government is making
arrangements to prevent the landing of foreign
outcasts on her shores.The French Government is vigorously enforc-
ing the expulsion clauses against all foreign
anarchists found within her borders, and scores of
suspects are being daily hustled over the frontiers.An enormous fire has occurred in Washington,
causing disastrous destruction of property.The Prince of Wales' *Britannia* has again
defeated the American yacht *Vigilant*, at the
Kingstown royal regatta. The sunken yacht
Valmy has been refloated.The bad feeling between British and Boers in
the Transvaal, South Africa, is steadily develop-
ing, owing to the jealousy and fear among the
latter at the rapidly increasing wealth and
influence of the Anglo-Boer element. Various
steps have been taken by the Boer Government
to weaken and check a movement that it is con-
sidered menaces its existence. The latest is an
order which has been issued by General Joubert,
the commander-in-chief of the army of the
Transvaal Republic, to the effect that British
subjects residing in the Transvaal are to be
liable to military service in the Boer army. The
edict has caused great excitement, and it is
probably lead to trouble.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The next Gymkhana will be held on the 1st
proximo.H.M.S. *Tweed* was docked at Kowloon this
morning.H.M.S. *Mercury* left Yokohama for Kobe on
August 3rd.The Chinese Minister had arranged to leave
Tokyo on the 3rd inst.The British ironclad *Undaunted* left Nagasaki
for Kobe on the 2nd inst.THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Japan* left
Bombay for this port on the 8th inst.The British cruiser *Leander* came out of the
Admiralty dock at Kowloon this afternoon,
where she has been thoroughly overhauled and
painted.Mr. Karino Shinichiro, the newly appointed
Japanese Minister to Washington, is to leave
Yokohama for San Francisco by the *Empress
of China*.OWING to the serious illness of Mr. Matsui,
Japanese Minister for Foreign Affairs, Count
Inouye, Home Minister, has temporarily taken
charge of the Foreign Office.Mr. Le Pter Trench, the lately appointed
British Minister to Japan, had arranged to leave
Yokohama by the *Empress of India* on the 4th
inst., and is expected in Tokyo on the 18th.The German steamer *Amigo*, when leaving
Yokohama for this port on the night of the 2nd
inst., ran into the new pier at the south side of
the harbour, but sustained no injury. The pier
was slightly damaged.The success of the Hongkong Miners' from a
financial point of view, is already practically
assured; almost every seat in the Theatre Royal,
City Hall, having been booked for to-morrow
night's performance.Two Englishmen, a Dane, and a Spaniard are
included among the prisoners captured by the
Japanese on board the Chinese torpedo vessel
Tiao-hang. The *Tiao-hang* has been manned
by Japanese and renamed *Toyoshima*.The Tiam and Pok-fam reservoirs have
been full to overflowing for the past week, and
judging by the incessant downpour with which
the colony has been favoured to-day, the "waste"
will be abundantly manifest for a week or two
more.A NAGASAKI telegram to the *Japan Mail*, dated
August 1st, states that the *Genkai Maru*, which
was converted into an armed cruiser. This is
the steamer that was reported the other day to
have been captured by a Chinese torpedo boat
near Taku.The Secretary of the New Balmoral Gold
Mining Co., Ltd., informs us that interesting and
satisfactory results from the mines have been
received by the E. & A. Co.'s steamer *Catlin*, which
can be seen by shareholders at the Secretary's
office, No. 9, Praya Central.DURING the heavy rains that fell between 10
o'clock and noon to-day, the whole of the new
Praya on the north side of the reclaimed land at
the back of the City Hall was completely under
water, showing that the surface drainage and rain-
water outlets must be exceedingly defective.A WATER-SPOUT was observed about 7 o'clock
this morning in the Ly-sen-moon Pass. It entered
the harbour at a short distance from the shore,
great commotion among the junks in the vicinity,
one of which, being on the edge of the whirl-
pool, had a very narrow escape. It was finally
broken up by a couple of shots fired from a junk
near the Chinese shore.H.M.S. *Daphne* and *Flower* have gone to
Behring Sea to relieve the *Caroline* and *Rushell*,
which will replace the *Admiral* fleet in Japanese
waters. The *Centurion*, *Imhot* and *Albatross*
left Hakodate on the 30th ult., the *Severn*
having previously been despatched direct from
Otaru for Nagasaki. The *Mercury* arrived at
Yokohama from Hakodate on the 1st inst.THERE will be some interesting sport at the
Balmoral to-morrow afternoon. If the weather
keeps fine. In addition to the champion walker,
Harcourt, who will walk four miles against eight
different opponents, the mile matches will be
between the race-ponies *Durst* (1st. 13th) and *Viper*
(1st. 5th), and *Silver King* (1st. 1st) and *Black
Douglas* (1st. 1st) should prove a special attraction.The ancient composite gunboat *Firebrand*,
which has been banking in the sun under the
Victor Emanuel's stern for the past week,
steamed over to the quarantine ground this
morning and anchored near Stonecutters' Island
—presumably to be in readiness to seize the
next steamer the *Daily Press* and *China Mail*
condemn for a fancied breach of the neutrality
laws.In the Summary Court this morning, before Mr.
A. G. Wye, Acting Police Judge, Dr. Noble,
defendant, sued Miss Eva Saunders for
£185 balance due on an account of £160 for
dental services rendered. Mr. H. L.
Dennis appeared for Dr. Noble, the defendant
appearing in person. After a patient hearing,
deposing which Miss Saunders accused the Doctor
of breaking her teeth with a soda-water bottle,
his lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff, with
costs.The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial
Hospital begs to acknowledge, with thanks, the
following donations to the funds of the Hospital:—
Butterfield & Swire.....\$100.00
Holliday, Wise & Co.....100.00
Jardine, Matheson & Co.....100.00
Klein, Cosmopolitan & Co.....100.00
D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.....100.00
Johnson, Stokes & Master.....50.00
Melchers & Co.....50.00
Meyer & Co.....50.00
J. J. dos Remedios & Co.....50.00
Scottish Oriental Steamship Co.....50.00In the athletic competition between representa-
tives of the universities of Oxford and Yale,
U. S. A., held at Oxford on July 16th, the
British athletes proved successful by winning
five out of nine events, Yale winning three, and
one, the high jump, resulting in a tie. For
Oxford C. B. Fry won the hundred yards in
10½ sec., W. J. O'Kip the hurdles in 16.7, G.
Jordan the quarter-mile in 21 sec., and W. Green-
low the half-mile in 2min. 45sec., and the mile
in 4min. 24.5½ sec. For Yale, L. P. Sheldon
secured the broad jump by clearing 33 ft. 11
inches, and W. O. Hickok the hammer-throwing
(110 ft. 5 inches) and putting the shot (41 ft. 7½
inches). L. P. Sheldon (Yale) and E. D.
Swanwick (Oxford) tied in the high jump at 5 ft.
8½ inches.Says the *Hoch Shimbun*:—Dr. Kitagawa on his
return to Tokyo was very warmly welcomed by
the citizens. The train which conveyed this
famous physician arrived at Shimbashi
on the 30th ult. at 9.30 a.m. An
exceedingly large number of persons
gathered at the station to receive
Dr. Kitagawa. The most conspicuous among them
were the representatives of the Ministry of
Foreign Affairs and Education; Mr. Matsuo,
Vice-Minister of Home Affairs; Mr. Tokatsu,
Chief of the Sanitary Bureau; Professor Hamano,
President of the Imperial University; Mr.
Mitsui, Governor of Tokyo, and many distin-
guished physicians. The members of Dr.
Kitagawa's Japanese Dispensary Hospital, the
Tokyo Guild of Pharmacologists and the Shiba
and Kyobashi Sanitary Associations were
also present to offer their congratulations.
As the doctor stepped out into the station yard
a loud shout of "Kitagawa-kun Bannai!" was
raised three times. The following day he
visited the Home Office to present his report
upon the results of his residence.THE "Tata" Line steamship *Asamor* left
Singapore for this port on the 9th inst., and is
due here on or about the 15th.The flag of the Chinese Consulate at Yokohama
was hoisted down on the 2nd inst., and the
building conveyed to the United States Con-
sulate-General.ACCORDING to latest advices from Manila the
Historical Nova Scotia ship *Selkirk*, Capt.
Shearer, dropped anchor in Matineles Bay on
the 20th ult., 8 days and 1½ hours out from
Hongkong, beating the 2,000-ton ship *Kishna*.
Capt. Smith, by two days on the run down from
Hongkong. As soon as Captain Cebu rejoins
the *Selkirk* she will proceed to Cebu to load for
New York.

BRITISH NEUTRALITY.

The following proclamation was embodied in a
Gazette Extraordinary which reached this
office just as we were going to press last night:—
PROCLAMATION.[L.S.] WILLIAM ROBINSON,
Governor.By His Excellency Sir William Robinson,
Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished
Order of Saint Michael and Saint George,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the
Colony of Hongkong and its Dependencies, and
Vice-Admiral of the same.Whereas the most Honourable the Marquess
of Ripon, her Majesty's Principal Secretary of
State for the Colonies, has communicated to the
Governor of this Colony her Majesty's
Commands, that the rules contained in the
following letter from the Right Honourable the
Earl of Kimberley, her Majesty's Principal
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, for the
maintenance of neutrality during the state of
war existing between his Imperial Majesty
the Emperor of China, and his Imperial Majesty
the Emperor of Japan, shall be published and
enforced throughout this Colony:—Now, therefore, in obedience to such Instruc-
tions as aforesaid, the said letter of the Right
Honourable the Earl of Kimberley is hereby
published for general information; and it is
hereby declared that the rules therein contained
shall be obeyed by all persons within this
Colony, and that obedience thereto will be
strictly enforced.By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
God Save the Queen.Given at Government House,
Hongkong, this 9th day of August, 1894.(THE EARL OF KIMBERLEY TO THE LORDS
COMMISSIONERS OF THE ADMIRALTY.)

Foreign Office, August 7th, 1894.

My Lords,—Her Majesty being fully deter-
mined to observe the duties of neutrality during
the existing state of war between the Emperor of
China and the Emperor of Japan, and being
moreover resolved to prevent, as far as possible,
the use of her Majesty's harbours, ports, and
coasts, and the waters within her Majesty's
territorial jurisdiction in aid of the warlike pur-
poses of belligerent, has commanded me to com-
municate to your Lordships, for your guidance,
the following rules which are to be treated and
enforced as her Majesty's orders and directions:—Her Majesty is further pleased to command
that these rules shall be put in force in the United
Kingdom, the Isle of Man, and the Channel
Islands, on and after the 12th of August inst., and
in her Majesty's territories and possessions beyond
the seas six days after the day when the Governor,
or other chief authority of each of such territories
or possessions respectively, shall have notified
and published the same; stating in such notifica-
tion that the said rules are to be obeyed by all
persons within the same territories and posses-
sions.1.—During the continuance of the present
state of war, all ships of war of either belligerent
are prohibited from making use of any port or
roadstead in the United Kingdom, the Isle of
Man, or the Channel Islands, or in any of her
Majesty's Colonies or foreign possessions or
dependencies, or of any waters subject to the
territorial jurisdiction of the British Crown, as a
station, or place of resort, for any warlike pur-
pose, or for the purpose of obtaining any facilities
of warlike equipment; and no ship of war of either
belligerent shall hereafter be permitted to sail
out of or leave any port, roadstead, or water
subject to British jurisdiction from which any
vessel of the other belligerent (whether the same
shall be a ship of war or a merchant ship) shall
have previously departed, until after the expira-
tion of at least twenty-four hours from the
departure of such last-mentioned vessel beyond
the territorial jurisdiction of her Majesty.2.—If any ship of war of either belligerent
shall, after the time when this order shall be first
notified and put in force in the United Kingdom,
the Isle of Man, and the Channel Islands, and
in the several colonies and foreign possessions
and dependencies of her Majesty respectively,
enter any port, roadstead, or waters belonging to
her Majesty, or to the United Kingdom, the
Isle of Man, or the Channel Islands, or in any of
her Majesty's colonies or foreign possessions or
dependencies, such vessel shall be required to
depart and to put to sea within twenty-four
hours after her entrance into such port, road-
stead, or waters, except in case of stress of
weather or of her requiring provisions or things
necessary for the subsistence of her crew, or
repairs in either of which cases the authorities
of the nearest port (as the case may be), shall
require her to put to sea as soon
as possible after the expiration of such period of
twenty-four hours without permitting her to take in
supplies beyond what may be necessary for her
immediate use; and no such vessel which may
have been allowed to remain within British
waters for the purpose of repair shall continue in
any such port, roadstead, or waters, for a longer
period than twenty-four hours after her necessary
repairs shall have been completed. Provided,
nevertheless, that in all cases in which there
shall be any vessel (whether ships of war or
merchant ships) of the said belligerent parties
in the same port, roadstead, or waters within the
territorial jurisdiction of her Majesty, there shall
be an interval of not less than twenty-four hours
between the departure of the one of any such
vessel (whether ship of war or merchant ship) of
the one belligerent, and the subsequent
departure of any ship of war of the other
belligerent; and the time hereby limited for
the departure of such ships of war:—(1) shall
always, in case of necessity, be extended so
far as may be requisite for giving effect to this
provision, but no further or otherwise.3.—No ship of war of either belligerent shall
hereafter be permitted, while in any port, road-
stead or waters subject to the territorial juris-
diction of her Majesty, to take in any supplies,
except provisions and such other things as may
be requisite for the subsistence of her crew, and
except so much coal only as may be requisite to
carry such vessel to the nearest port of her own
country, or to some nearer destination, and the
coal shall again be supplied to any such
ship of war in the same or any other port,
roadstead, or waters subject to the territorial
jurisdiction of her Majesty, without special
permission, until after the expiration of three
months from the time when such coal may have
been last supplied to her within British waters
aforesaid.4.—Armed ships of either party are interdicted
from carrying prizes made by them into the ports,
harbours, roadsteads, or waters of the United
Kingdom, the Isle of Man, the Channel Islands,
or any of her Majesty's Colonies or possessions
abroad.I have, &c.,
(Signed) KIMBERLEY.

THE PLAGUE IN HONGKONG.

All the inmates of the Kennedy-town branch
of the Tung Wah Hospital were transferred to
the Government plague hospital at Lap-see-wan
to-day. The plague and sick persons in the new
Slaughter House hitherto used as Chinese
hospital wards will be fumigated and handed
over to the authorities without delay.Owing to the stringent measures adopted
when the plague was raging at its height at
Yau-mai-ti, the disease there is now practically
stamped out.The latest official returns are as follow:—
From noon yesterday until noon to-day:—New Deaths Daily, from under
cases cured treatment

Kennedy-town.....0 1 6 27

Slaughter House.....1 0 1 11

Private houses.....0 1 0 0

Total.....1 2 7 38

Deaths from the outbreak (9th May) up to
August 9th, noon, 2,452; grand total, 2,454.

LAI-CHI-KOK RETURNS.

The following are the returns of admissions,
deaths, etc., at the Lai-chi-kok pest-house for the
twenty-four hours ending 5 o'clock yesterday
afternoon:—Admissions, 5; deaths, 2; dis-
charged, 2; remaining under treatment, 50.NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN
MAIL.The Eastern and Australian Co.'s steamship,
Catlin, Capt. N. Shannon, from Sydney
and ports, arrived in harbour yesterday evening.
For the subjoined telegrams we are indebted to
our Colonial exchangers:—

LONDON, July 6th.

News has been received from Rio de Janeiro
to the effect that the Brazilian loyalist troops
have gained a decisive victory over the rebels
in the southern province of Rio Grande do Sul.
Upwards of 1,000 rebels were killed in the
battle, many officers being included in the
number.

July 7th.

At the Royal Large Yacht Club Meeting on
the 7th of July to-day, the Prince of Wales' yacht
Britannia defeated the American yacht
Vigilant for the Queen's Cup by two minutes.A train ran off the line at Bilbao, in the north
of Spain. Twelve passengers were killed and
16 injured.The representatives of the coal-owners and the
Miners' Federation of Great Britain have
informally agreed upon a minimum wage on the
basis of a reduction of 10 per cent. for a period
of two years. This arrangement is likely to
result in a settlement of the colliers' strike in
Scotland.At the Kempton Park First Summer Meeting
to-day, the contest for the principal event resulted
as under:—KEMPTON PARK TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 600
sovs. (500 sovs. to the winner, 50 sovs. to the
nominatee of the winner, and 25 sovs. each to
the owner and nominatee of the second), for
two-year-olds; colts, gals, fillies and geldings,
St. 11th, 5 furlongs.Mr. A. W. Cox's b or br *Galathea*, by
Galopie—Agave, St. 11th.....1

19114118; *Brillannia*, 19115121. At 1000
near Aacoms, the *Vigilant* was beached

AND | Root You Miles Away, Roaring NAVY'S WARPS
in the north of Japan?

JAPAN'S DECLARATION OF WAR.

tion for defense are performed.

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1. Hong Kong, 24 March, 1944.

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The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

BANKS.
 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—98 per cent. prem. buyers.
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—on £8.00. paid up, —72½ sellers.
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders' shares, nominal.
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—nominal.
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—Founders' shares—£5, buyers.
CHINESE LOANS.
 China—Imperial Loan of 1886 E—11 per cent. premium.
MARINE INSURANCES.
 Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$125 per share, sellers.
 China Traders' Insurance Company—\$64 per share, buyers.
 North China Insurance—Tls. 167½ per share, buyers.
 Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$137 per share, buyers.
 Yangtze Insurance Association—\$70, buyers.
 On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 15 per share.
 The Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.—\$16 per share, sales and buyers.
FIRE INSURANCES.
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$180 per share, buyers.
 China Fire Insurance Company—\$79 per share, sellers.
 The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.—\$20 per share, sales and buyers.
SHIPPING.
 Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—\$26 per share, buyers.
 China and Manila Steam Ship Company—\$65, buyers.
 Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—\$4, buyers.
 Douglas Steamship Company—\$50, buyers.
 China Mutual Shippers Co., Ltd.—(Preference)—\$6 per share, nominal.
 China Mutual Shippers Co., Ltd.—(Ordinary)—\$1 per share, nominal.
REFINERIES.
 China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$160 per share.
 Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$48, buyers.
MINING.
 Panyon Mining Co.—(Ordinary)—\$6½ per share, sellers.
 Panyon Mining Co.—(Preference)—\$1.70 per share, buyers.
 The Ranch Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$5 per share, sellers.
 The New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$1.00 per share, sellers.
 Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin—\$70 per share, sellers.
 The Leche Mining and Trading Co., Limited—\$6, sales and buyers.
DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS.
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—\$5 per cent. premium, buyers.
 Geo. Hendrick & Co., Limited—\$21 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$37½ per share, sales and buyers.
 Wanchai Warehouse Co., Ltd.—\$40 per share, sellers.
HOTELS.
 Hongkong Hotel Company—\$11 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—\$0.1.
 The Shamrock Hotel Co., Limited—nominal.
LANDS AND BUILDING.
 The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—\$10 per share, sellers.
 The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—\$51, buyers.
 The West Point Buildings Co., Limited—\$24 per share, sellers.
 Humphreys Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.—\$14 per share, sellers.
DISPENSARIES.
 A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$101, sales and buyers.
 Dakin, Cruickshank & Co., Limited—\$11 per share, buyers.
MISCELLANEOUS.
 Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$6 per share, sellers.
 H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$4 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$105 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Gas Company—\$125 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Ice Company—\$78 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$40 per share, sellers.
 The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—\$4 per share, buyers.
 The Green Island Cement Co.—\$54, sales and buyers.
 The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—\$4.75, sellers.
 The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—\$70, buyers.
 Campbell, Moore & Co., Ltd.—\$1 per share, sellers.

EXCHANGE.
 ON LONDON—Bank, T. T. 2/11
 Bank Bills, on demand 2/11
 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/11
 Credits at 4 months' sight 2/11
 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/24
 ON PARIS—
 Bank Bills, on demand 2.65
 Credits, at 4 months' sight 2.60
 ON INDIA—
 T. T. 194
 On Demand 194½
 ON SHANGHAI—
 Bank, T. T. 73½
 Private, 30 days' sight 74½
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 Silver (per oz.) 28 13/16

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAILS.
 The P. M. S. Co.'s steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama, on the 25th ultimo.
 The O. & S. S. Co.'s steamer *Galicia*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama, on the 7th instant.

NORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL.
 The Northern Pacific steamship Co.'s steamer *Victoria* left Tacoma for this port, via Japan, on the 25th ultimo.

THE INDIAN MAIL.
 The Indo-China steamer *Kutiang*, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 7th instant at 6 a.m., and may be expected here on the 13th.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer *Sarpedon* left Singapore on the 4th instant, and may be expected here to-day.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Aden* left Bombay on the 25th ultimo, and may be expected here on the 14th instant.

The 'Tata' line steamer *Asamora* left Singapore on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on the 15th.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer *Ision* left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on the 15th.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Yapan* left Bombay on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on the 26th.

The Navigazione Generale Italiana steamer *Bormida* left Bombay on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on the 27th.

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

SUNGIANG, British steamer, 904, C. B. N. Dord, 9th August, —Manila 6th Aug. General.—Butterfield & Swire.
 NANCHANG, British steamer, 1,800, E. Finlayson, 9th August, —Amoy 8th Aug. General.—Butterfield & Swire.
 PRONTO, German steamer, 612, Bohn, 9th August, —Newchwang 1st August, Beas.—Messias & Co.

CATTYHUN, British steamer, 1,460, Nell Shannon, 6th August, —Sydney 15th July, Newcastle 16th, Cape Moreton 18th, Cleveland Bay 21st, Port Darwin 22nd, Thursday Island 25th, and Port Darwin 30th General.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

OCEANIC, British steamer, 3,808, Wm. M. Smith, R.N.R., 10th August, —San Francisco 17th July, and Yokohama 4th August, Mails and General.—O. & S. S. Co.

TAIVICK, German steamer, 904, R. Schultze, 10th August, —Newchwang and August, and Cheloo 3rd, Beas and Vercellio.—Meyer & Co.

HAITAN, British steamer, 1,102, A. E. Hodgkin, 10th August, —Fochow 7th August, Amoy 8th, and Swatow 9th, General.—D. Laprak & Co.

CATHAY, British steamer, 1,873, A. Symons, 10th August, —Bombay 25th July, and Singapore 5th August, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

NANYANG, German steamer, 1,050, F. Schultze, 10th August, —Newchwang 3rd August, and Cheloo 5th, Beas and General.—Messias & Co.

CLARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.
Yungang, British steamer, for Manila.
Albatross, German steamer, for Yokohama, &c.
Lightning, British steamer, for Singapore, &c.
Canton, British steamer, for Amoy, &c.
Catterhun, British steamer, for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES.
 August 10, *Trillo*, German steamer, for Saigon.
 August 10, *Formosa*, British steamer, for Singapore and London.
 August 10, *Haitan*, British str., for Swatow.
 August 10, *Nanchang*, British str., for Canton.
 August 10, *Tolyck*, German str., for Canton.

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED.
 Per *Catterhun*, from Sydney, &c.—Mr. and Mrs. Fook Lum, 2 children and nurse, Messrs. Ah Kow, Otabashi, 26 Chinese and 7 Japanese.
 Per *Sunglung*, from Manila.—1 European and 53 Chinese.
 Per *Nanchang*, from Amoy.—1 Chinese.
 Per *Haitan*, from Fochow, &c.—326 Chinese.
 Per *Albatross*, from San Francisco, &c.—Mr. and Mrs. Faller, Messrs. F. J. East, Geo. H. Wheeler, F. Mason, Lieut. Markham, and 777 Chino.

Per *Cathay*, from London for Hongkong—Messrs. Thos. Brockett, Jas. Livingston, J. S. Hutchinson, H. McPhail, and Major Lindley, from Bombay.—Messrs. J. P. Mahomed and F. Peersboby, from Colombo.—Captain G. Ripley, from Singapore.—Captain Mackenzie, and 14 Chinese. From London for Shanghai.—Mrs. Anderson, and native servant, and Miss Anderson, from London for Yokohama.—Captain and Miss Ellis, and Mr. D. G. Beebe, from Singapore.—Lieut. F. J. Wallis, Messrs. Paul Asad and S. A. Zahar, from Singapore for Nagasaki.—Mrs. Omitsu, Mrs. O. Isamu, Messrs. Yama Moto and Onishi.

REPORTS.
 The British steamship *Sunglung* reports that she left Manila on the 6th instant, and had moderate south-west winds and showery weather throughout.
 The British steamship *Oceanic* reports that she left San Francisco on the 17th ultimo, and Yokohama on the 4th instant, and had fine weather throughout. Passage 5 days, 18 hours and 29 minutes from Yokohama.
 The German steamship *Nanyang* reports that she left Newchwang on the 3rd instant, and Cheloo on the 5th. From Cheloo to Hongkong, Island had stormy breeze and high sea from the south; thence to port had light variable winds and rain showers.
 The Eastern and Australian Company's steamship *Catterhun* reports that she left Sydney on the 15th ultimo at 10 a.m.; arrived at Newcastle the same evening, and sailed again at 5 p.m. on the 16th, passed Cape Moreton at noon on the 18th, North Reef at 5.45 p.m. on the 19th, arrived at Cleveland Bay at 8.45 a.m. on the 21st, and sailed at 11 a.m. the same day; arrived at Coketown at noon on the 22nd, sailed again at 1 p.m. the same day; arrived at Thursday Island on the 24th, sailed at 4.30 p.m. on the 25th; arrived off Port Darwin at 6 p.m. on the 26th, sailed again at 6 p.m. on the 26th; passed Manila Straits on the 2nd instant, Banks Passage on the 3rd, Basilian Straits on the 5th; cleared Cabra Island on the 7th. From Sydney to Coketown had light to moderate south-west to north-west winds and fine weather. From Coketown to Port Darwin had moderate south-east winds and fine weather; thence to Banks Passage had fresh south-east winds with rain squalls, and to Cabra Island had variable winds and fine weather. From Cabra Island to port had moderate to light south-west monsoon and fine weather. On the 22nd ultimo passed the C. M. Co.'s steamship *Tatyuan* 10 miles south of Archer Point. At 1.10 a.m. on the 23rd passed the Company's steamship *Atira*. At 6.30 a.m. on the 5th instant, passed the steamship *Mogel* entering Basilian Straits. At 1.45 p.m. the same day, passed a C. N. steamer, steering south. At 7.40 p.m. on the 6th passed the Company's steamship *Catherin* off Pander Island, steering south.

The British steamship *Nanchang* reports that she left Amoy on the 8th instant, and had light variable winds with overcast and rainy weather.
 The British steamship *Haitan* reports that she left Fochow on the 7th instant, Amoy on the 8th, and Swatow on the 9th. From Fochow to Amoy had light variable winds and fine weather. From Swatow to port had light south-east winds and fine weather. In Amoy the steamships *Formosa* and *Yunglung*. In Swatow the steamships *Woojung* and *Sigan*.

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE—
 For Bangkok—Per *Mongkut* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 9.30 a.m.
 For Swatow and Singapore—Per *Pakshan* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 11.30 a.m.
 For Straits and Calcutta—Per *Lightning* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 11.30 a.m.
 For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and San Francisco—Per *Perru* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 12.30 p.m.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

AGENTS, French steamer, 290, Geo. R. Stevens, Alwin, German steamer, 400, J. Jensen, 9th August, —Pakhoi 6th August, and Helow 8th, General.—Wider & Co.

ARDA, British steamer, 1,080, H. Smith, 8th August, —Moj 21st July, Coals.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

ASK, Danish steamer, 591, N. C. Revsbeck, 9th August, —Halphong 3rd August, and Helow 8th, Rice.—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

ETHORP, British steamer, 1,005, P. S. Miles, 7th August, —Kutchinot 31st July, Coals.—Mittell Bussan Kalsha.

HERTHA, German steamer, 2,006, Th. Hildebrand, 9th August, —Singapore 3rd August, General.—Stuenkel & Co.

LIGHTNING, British steamer, 2,124, K. H. Sandberg, 5th August, —Calcutta, and Singapore 30th July, Opium and General.—D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.

MONKUT, British steamer, 859, N. Chichester, 10th July, —Bangkok, and Koh-si-chang 10th July, Rice and General.—Yuen Fat Hong.

NORMANSTUR, British steam-launch, 55, Ancho, 1st June, —Sardakan 26th May.

PAKSHAN, British steamer, 835, J. Jensen, 7th August, —Saloon and August, Rice.—Hop Hing Hong.

PERU, American steamer, 3,538, D. E. Fiedle, 1st August, —San Francisco 7th July, and Yokohama 26th, Mails and General.—P. M. S. S. Co.

PERA NANO, British steamer, 1,021, W. H. Kaitan, 7th August, —Bangkok 28th July, and Koh-si-chang 30th, General.—Yuen Fat Hong.

TRACAS, British steamer, 2,675, James Edwards, 9th August, —Batoum 2nd August, Bulk Oil.—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

YUENSANG, British steamer, 1,005, Waddilove, 8th August, —Manila 5th August, General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

SAILING VESSELS.
CALEB CURTIS, American schooner, 35, Brake, 13th June, —Yap (Caroline Islands) 29th May, General.—Order.

COMET, Nicaraguan barque, 600, J. Kirk, 26th July, —Manila 15th June, Sugar.—Shewan & Co.

FOOHNG SUW, Hawaiian bark, 898, D. Mahony, 18th June, —New York 13th March, Kerosene Oil.—Shewan & Co.

H. HACKFIELD, German bark, 1,240, T. W. Hilger, 2nd August, —Cardiff 8th March, Coals.—Melchers & Co.

JAPAN, Italian bark, 306, Bartolomeo Guastavino, 22nd June, —Callao 2nd April, Ballast.—Order.

KITTY, British bark, 916, Wilson, 14th July, —Kalgua 28th June, Timber.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

LINA, German bark, 661, Albrecht, 5th August, —Albany (W.A.), 13th June, Sandalwood.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

SEBASTIAN BACH, German barque, 822, Hansen, 27th July, —Rajang 9th July, Timber.—Wider & Co.

SILBERBERG, British ship, 1,853, Gibson, 26th July, —Shanghai 15th July, General.—Shewan & Co.

SUSOYANNA, American ship, 3,528, Sewall, 19th July, —New York 28th March, Kerosene Oil.—Reuter, Brockmann & Co.

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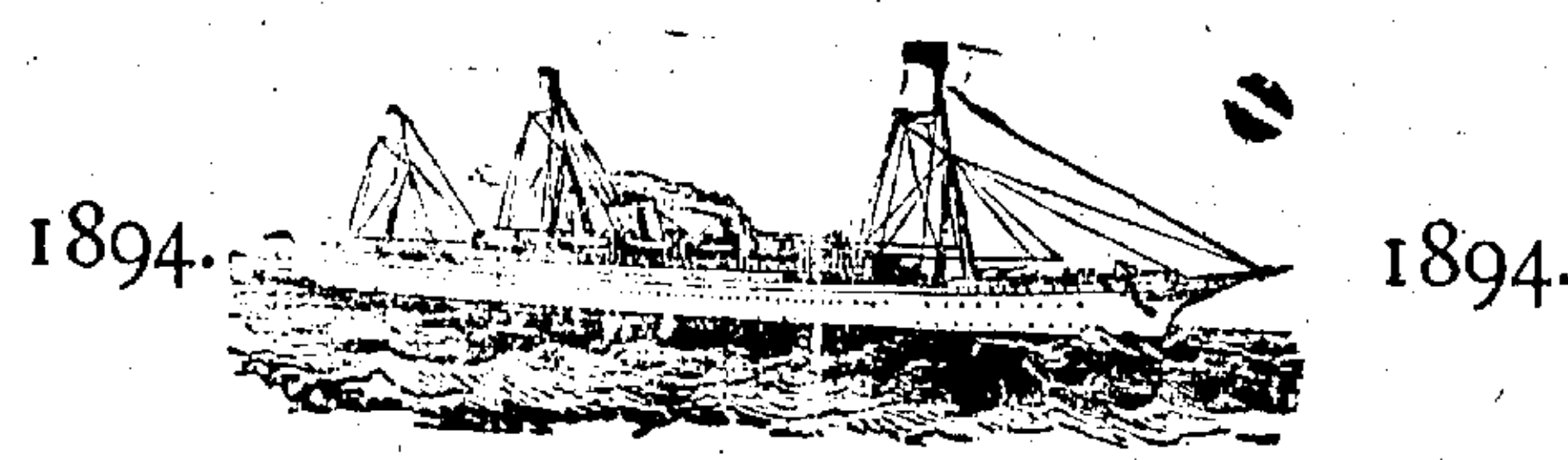
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